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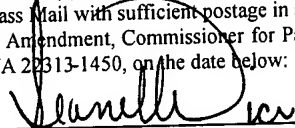
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INTERVIEW SUMMARY AND AMENDMENT

The Applicants hereby amend the claims to expedite prosecution and allowance of the present application in view of telephonic interviews with Examiner McCracken on January 22 and 23, 2007. Specifically, as agreed with the Examiner, a new listing of claims is set forth below with amendments shown based on the state of the claims *before* Applicants filed the Preliminary Amendment on September 8, 2006, and the subsequent Amendment and Response on December 14, 2006, in view of the Office communication mailed on December 18, 2006. Again, the Applicants stress that the Preliminary Amendment filed on September 8, 2006, should have been entered and considered by the Examiner, but the Applicants hereby resubmit a new listing of claims to expedite prosecution and allowance of the present application.